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Teachers' and School Board Meeting

Teachers, Clerks and School Boards:

Section 10933, Revised School Law of
Missouri, requires the County Superin-
tendent to hold a meeting of the teachers
of the county, prior to the opening of
the schools, for the purpose of planning
the year's work and explaining the course
of study, so that young teachers, espe-
cially, will be able to begin their work
without any loss of time.

This same section says it shall be the
duty of the teachers to attend meetings
called by the County Superintendent, and
perform the duties assigned them. All
teachers who are not attending Summer
School at the time this meeting is held
will be required to attend this meeting.

Teachers who have made sufficient
grades to justify the issuing of a certi-
ficate will receive same at this meeting, on
condition that they are present and faith-
ful in the performance of the duty assign-
ed them. This applies to all who took
the examination, whether you have a
school or not, if you are expecting to
teach in the county this year.

The meeting will be held at the Iron-
ton Public School Building, beginning at
1:15 o'clock P. M., sharp, Thursday, July
9th, 1914. This hour affords ample time
for all to get here and not be late. Let
us set an example that we would like for
our own pupils to follow by being
prompt.

It is a big job for a teacher to learn how
to teach a school in three days, but if you
do your part at this meeting you will be
better equipped to perform your duties
as a teacher and will be able to give
your district better service. It is through
co-operation that we get our best results.
The State Superintendent will be here
to explain the use of the course of study.
If you have any questions on the course
of study or the school law, have them
ready.

The School Board Convention will be
held in connection with this meeting,
Friday and Saturday, July 10th and 11th.
This will be a joint session of teachers and
the school boards.

The school officers are requested not to
begin their schools until after this meet-
ing is held. This is done to give you a
chance to become familiar with the
course of study before you begin teach-
ing.

You have the course of study. I hope
you will devote as much time to the study
of it as you can between now and the

meeting, and bring it with you to the
meeting.

If you have not secured a school this
will give you a chance to meet the mem-
bers of the school boards, and will, es-
pecially, give them an opportunity to see
the teachers who are interested and try-
ing to promote school work. A number
of boards have indicated that they much
prefer a teacher who is interested in the
children and the school work, and works
for the advancement of the school, even
though his book knowledge is limited, to
one who is ever so well educated, but
hasn't interest enough in the work to do
it.

The Forty-Seventh General Assembly
of the State of Missouri passed a law
providing for county meeting of school
officers.

I have planned that Friday and Satur-
day, July 10th and 11th, 1914, will be the
best dates, for several reasons, to hold
this meeting.

FIRST. I will hold the Teachers'
Meeting, which is required by law to be
held prior to the opening of schools, on
July 9th and 10th; this will give the
school officers and teachers an opportu-
nity to meet together.

SECOND. It will give districts that
want to begin their schools early a chance
to begin as early as the second Monday
in July.

THIRD. It is the time of year that
the District Clerks are closing up their
year's work and will afford the new Clerk
(if there is to be a change in clerks) an
opportunity to understand the duties of
his office better.

The President and Clerk of each school
district are to be the representatives, but
every district is entitled to two representa-
tives, and if the President or Clerk can not
be present, it is the duty of the Board to
appoint some other member of the Board,
or some other person in the district, to
represent them at this meeting. Each of-
ficer attending such meeting shall receive
compensation at the rate of one dollar
and fifty cents per day for the days that he
is at the meeting, and mileage at the rate
of five cents per mile for the number of
miles necessary to be traveled in going
from the schoolhouse of his district to the
place of meeting.

Following is the bill as it passed the
General Assembly:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly
of the State of Missouri, as follows:

SECTION 1. That it shall be the duty
of the County Superintendent of Public
Schools to call together once each school
year at the county seat or some other
suitable place in the county, the presi-

dents of the school boards and the clerks
of the school districts of the county, for
the consideration and discussion of ques-
tions pertaining to school administration.

SUC. 2. It shall be the duty of every
president of a school board and of every
clerk of a school district in the several
counties to attend the meeting of school
officers called by the county superinten-
dent of public schools for the purpose of
considering and discussing questions per-
taining to school administration; and each
school officer attending such meeting shall
receive compensation at the rate of one
dollar and fifty cents per diem and
mileage at the rate of five cents per mile
for the number of miles necessary to be
traveled in going from the schoolhouse of
his district to the place of meeting, same
to be paid out of the incidental fund of
his district: *Provided*, that no allowance
shall be made for more than two days in
the school year: *Provided, further*, that
in case of the inability of either the
president of the board or the clerk of the
district to attend such meeting, the school
board shall appoint another member or
some other person to represent the dis-
trict in place of said president of the
board or clerk of the district. Upon pre-
sentation of a certificate signed by the
county superintendent of public schools,
the board shall order warrants drawn in
favor of the school officers or other rep-
resentative of the board who attended
said meeting in accordance with the pro-
visions of this section.

The lecture at the Academy of Music
on Friday, the evening of the 10th, at 8
P. M. will be given by the Inter-
national Harvest Company of America,
entitled the "The Dawn of Plenty."
This is an illustrated lecture. It is one
of the best I ever saw or heard. I am
getting it for the benefit of the teachers
and School Boards and we hope that no
one will miss it. This one lecture is
worth your trip to this convention. These
people seldom ever come to as small
towns as Ironton, but for the benefit of
this convention they have agreed to
come at this time. Do not forget the
time and place, and ask your friends to
come with you. We are trying in every
way to make this the best meeting in
the State. Every teacher and School
Board member that registers at this
meeting will be given a free ticket to the
lecture.

This will be the second meeting of the
kind ever held in the county. Our first
meeting was a success. Can't we make
this a greater one? I hope that every dis-
trict will be represented, as it is through
the co-operation of all the people that we
get our best results.

I further request that no school begin
its session until after this meeting is held,
and that you, as school officers, see to it
that your teacher is present.

Section 10,933, S. L., says that it shall
be the duty of the teachers to attend
meetings called by the County Superin-
tendent. Section 10,945 says a certificate
may be revoked for neglect of duty. If
your teacher fails to perform his duty
then it is the duty of the board to get
one that will.

The course of study and the school
laws will be explained at this meeting.

If you have a question that you want
discussed, notify me and I will have it
on the program.

The State Superintendent will be with
us to discuss some important questions and
I hope you will be present. I am
Very truly,
B. P. BURNHAM,
County Superintendent.

Congressman Hensley's Work.

Congressman W. L. Hensley re-
cently introduced, and secured the
passage in the House, without a dis-
senting vote, a bill to prohibit the im-
portation of convict-made goods. These
goods, amounting to approxi-
mately \$500,000,000 annually, are
brought into direct competition with
the products of free labor. The bill
is pending in the Senate, and we have
no doubt it will pass that body. He
introduced a bill regulating the inter-
state shipment of goods made in whole
or in part by convicts. The House
passed the Boomer Bill, which is simi-
lar to this.

He introduced a bill prohibiting
Congressmen and certain other public
servants, from accepting, while in
office, employment by corporations
engaged in interstate business. He is
pressing this matter for action, and is
meeting with encouragement.

Congressman Hensley introduced a
good road bill, and appeared before
the Committee on Good Roads and
urged it to report a bill to the House,
which was done. The House passed a
good roads bill.

He introduced a bill proposing to
establish a Branch Bureau of Mines at
Flat River, for the purpose of facili-
tating the proper and efficient develop-
ment of the resources as well as im-
prove conditions of health and safety.

He also secured an appropri-
ation for a Federal Building at Bonne Terre,
and assisted in perfecting details for
the construction of a Federal Building
at De Soto.

Hensley introduced and secured the
passage in the House of a resolution
proposing a Naval Holiday, with which
you are familiar. Organized labor
heartily endorsed this resolution. He
led the fight in the House last year
which resulted in reducing the Naval
appropriation bill approximately \$20,-
000,000, which, figured on the basis of
the present membership of the House,
meant a saving to our district of some-
thing over \$40,000,000. He led the
fight on the Naval appropriation bill
this year which resulted in reducing
the Naval appropriation bill in the
House about \$2,000,000,000.

He voted for the tariff and currency
measures, and has stood with the ad-
ministration throughout.

Congressman Hensley voted for the
woman's eight-hour law, for the Dis-
trict of Columbia; for the Dredge-
men's eight-hour law, and other
eight-hour provisions in government
shops. He voted for an investigation
of the Taylor system of speeding-up
laborers; for the establishment of a
Children's Bureau; for the establish-
ment of an Industrial Commission; for
the establishment of a Department
of Labor in the President's Cabinet;
and made a speech on the subject and
voted for a limitation of injunctions as
applied to organized labor.

He voted for the Agricultural exten-
sion bill.

Hensley voted for and was especial-
ly active in behalf of a resolution pro-
posing an investigation of the Michi-
gan and Colorado labor controversies.

He also introduced a bill for the
protection from overflow along the
Mississippi River. And made appropri-
ation for the protection through-
out almost the entire length of the
river.

He secured the passage of a bill
containing an item of \$1200.00 in favor
of St. Genevieve County for damages
done to the court house during the
war. The bill has also passed the
Senate.

He secured a soil survey of Perry
County.

Hensley offered, for the purpose of
stimulating in the boys of the district
a deeper interest in Agriculture, cer-
tain prizes for the best production.

He has given particular attention
to the improvement of the mail
facilities throughout the districts as
well as other requests.

Congressman Hensley has given
close attention to his official duties at
Washington, and has tried to give
careful and prompt attention to ev-
ery request; and has voted and work-
ed at all times against extravagance in
the expenditure of public funds.

Unpatriotic Officials Rebuked.

If there is any national pride among
the local free-speech-suppressing of-
ficials of Tarrytown, New York, they
must feel humiliated at the deserved
rebuke administered to them by so
distinguished, intelligent and impartial
a foreign observer as George Brandes.
Mr. Brandes' letter is well worth con-
sidering in other places than Tarry-
town. He wrote to the trustees of the
village:

I have visited a land of liberty, and
seen your beautiful statue in the
haven of New York. I hope that in
this crisis your action will be such as
not to injure the reputation of your
country as a "sweet land of liberty." Freedom
of speech seems to me to be one of the
most precious rights of humanity. I must
ask your pardon that I, a stranger, dare to
meddle in your affairs.

Unfortunately the denial of free
speech in Tarrytown is by no means
the first case in which petty officials
have so acted as to injure the reputa-
tion of this country as a "sweet land
of liberty." What is worse, there are
courts in which these invasions of
constitutional rights have been up-
held. Perhaps the usurping officials
who have disregarded all protests from
American citizens, may be brought to
realize through the statement of a
foreigner how thoroughly unpatriotic
they are.—The Chicago Public.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.

I, Frank J. Cheney, declare that he is
senior partner of the firm of P. J. Cheney
& Co., doing business in the City of To-
ledo, County and State aforesaid, and
that said firm will pay the sum of ONE
HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ev-
ery case of Catarrh that cannot be cured
by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed as
my presence, this 24th day of December,
A. D. 1913.

A. W. GLEASON,
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cous surfaces of the system. Send for
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take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Surprising Fact.

The following was first printed as
an editorial in the American Wool
and Cotton Reporter:

"A careful study of the woolen in-
dustry brings to light the fact that
conditions are much better than some
would have us believe. Conversations
with several prominent factors con-
firm our previous expressed belief
that the outlook is brighter than at
any time in the recent past, and that
business is well past the low point,
with indications that the improve-
ment shown is to be permanent and
of a steady growth. Duplicates are
coming forward in fair volume, with
the result that more than one mill
has been forced to secure outside ma-
chinery in order to take care of busi-
ness now in hand.

"Mills in this condition are anxious
to avoid betraying the fact, lest their
competitors encroach on their pre-
serves, and to this attitude may be
attributed, to a considerable extent,
the prevalence of the idea that the
woolen business is abnormally de-
pressed. Up to the present time there
is no indication on the part of the
manufacturing clothier of any inten-
tion to divert his purchases from the
regular channels of trade toward
foreign fabrics, nor do we think there

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From Now Until the 4th of July!

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need be fear of such action in the
future."

In short the American manufactur-
er is discovering that the efficiency,
of which he boasted so loudly before
the Underwood Tariff Bill was thought
of, and of the existence of which he
was beset by so many fears when that
same bill was drafted and passed,
exists after all. Under the Under-
wood tariff, only a lack of efficiency
can prevent the American manufactur-
er, with the added advantage of free
raw material, from having the best of
it in his own home market in com-
petition with the foreign manufactur-
er, who has to reckon with the handi-
caps of transportation charges and
the cost of revenue duties.—Louis-
ville Times.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidneys
and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel,
cures diabetes, weak and lame backs,
rheumatism, and all irregularities of
the kidneys and bladder in both men
and women. Regulates bladder
troubles in children. If not sold by
your druggist, will be sent by mail or
receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle or
two months' treatment, and seldom
fails to perfect a cure. Send for testi-
monials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive
Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by drug-
gist.—Adv.

Just as You Look at It.

Some people are miserable as a
matter of habit. Others accustom
themselves to being happy, and find
the condition of bondage very agree-
able.—Nebraska State Journal.

Wants Old Country Gold.

I will pay highest price for Old
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be not less than 14 karats. French,
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H. ADOLPH, Jeweler.

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for every member of the family at so
small a cost.

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We will pay any one \$50.00 for in-
formation leading to the arrest and
conviction of any one for stealing
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ty.

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St. Louis, Mo.

Furniture Repairing and Upholster-
ing are specialties at my store.
JNO. ALBERT.

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Has been giving the most particular Wagon buyers
Entire Satisfaction. This in itself should be sufficient
proof that the WAGON IS RIGHT, that the Quality
is there, and that it is a Light-Running Wagon.

Nothing but the Best Quality of Oak and Hickory are used in its
construction, and none but Expert Workmen are employed in our
Factory. These two Features, combined with the fact that every
Wagon is built under our direct supervision, make it possible for us to
turn out a Wagon that is Unexcelled.

Don't make a mistake and buy a wagon that is unknown and un-
tried, but a LANG. Ask the man who has one.

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ARCADIA.

First Mass, Holyday, 6:30 o'clock;
High Mass and Sermon, 9 o'clock;
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PILOT Knob.

First Sunday of the month, 10:30
o'clock; Second and Fourth Sundays,
8:30 o'clock.

GRANITEVILLE.

First Sunday of the month, 8:30
o'clock; second and fourth Sundays,
10:30 o'clock.

No mass at Pilot Knob or Granite-
ville on the third or fifth Sundays of
the month.

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Third and fifth Sundays of the month
at 6:30 and 9 o'clock.

REV. L. O. WERNERT, Pastor.

REV. JOHN F. ADRIAN, Ass't.

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and yard. Terms to suit.

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ing: Place too large for just two in the
family. Nice home for large family.
Furnace Heat; Bath; two good Clo-
sets and Well. Excellent grounds
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SUNDAYS BY APPOINTMENT.

NOTICE OF LETTERS.

Notice is hereby given, that letters Testa-
mentary on the estate of Anna Margaretha
Rasche, deceased, were granted to the under-
signed on the 8th day of June, 1914, by the
Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri. All
persons having claims against said estate
are required to exhibit them for allowance
to the Executor within six months after
the date of said letters, or they may be
precluded from any benefit of said estate; and
if such claims be not exhibited within one
year from the date of the last insertion of the
publication of this notice, they shall be fore-
ever barred.

This 15th day of June, 1914.

ROBERT A. RASCHKE, Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that letters Testa-
mentary on the estate of John M. Kel-
ley, deceased, were granted to the under-
signed on the 19th day of May, 1914, by the
Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri. All
persons having claims against said estate
are required to exhibit them for allow-
ance to the Executor within six months
after the date of said letters, or they may be
precluded from any benefit of said estate; and
if such claims be not exhibited within one
year from the date of the last insertion of the
publication of this notice, they shall be fore-
ever barred.

This 19th day of May, 1914.
CHAS. P. DAMRON, Executor.